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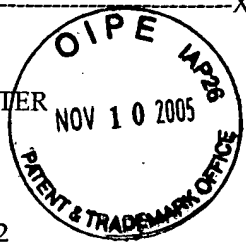
In re application of

Applicant: Warren S. SLUTTER

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MAIL STOP PETITION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicant hereby petitions to extend the term for response to file a reply to the Office Action of July 6, 2005 now set to expire on October 6, 2005 by a period of *One Month to November 6, 2005* or such other term required to render the instant response timely.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Over 500 Employees</u>
One Month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 60.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 120.00
Two Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 225.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 450.00
Three Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 510.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,020.00
Four Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 795.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,590.00
Five Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,080.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 2,160.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 08-0750**.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required.

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